

STATE OF ILLINOIS
89TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
SENATE TRANSCRIPT

10th Legislative Day

February 1, 1995

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

The regular Session of the 89th General Assembly will come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks, and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer today will be given by the Pastor Robert Freeman, Grace Methodist <sic> Church, Springfield. Reverend Freeman.

THE REVEREND ROBERT FREEMAN:

(Prayer by the Reverend Robert Freeman)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

All rise for the Pledge. Senator Sieben.

SENATOR SIEBEN:

(Senate recites the Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Sieben)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Reading of the Journal. Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that reading and approval of the Journal of Tuesday, January 31st, in the year 1995, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Senator Butler moves to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objections, it is so ordered. Introduction of Bills.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 231, offered by Senator Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 232, by Senator Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 233, by Senator Peterson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 234, offered by Senators Sieben and Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 235, offered by Senator Parker.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 236 is offered by Senator Trotter.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 237, by Senator Tom Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 238, by Senators O'Daniel and Ralph Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator Geo-Karis offers Senate Bill 239.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 240, by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 241, by Senator Dillard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 242 is offered by Senators Dillard and Weaver.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

And Senate Bill 243, by Senator Dillard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Also, Senate Bill 244, offered by Senator Lauzen.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 245, by Senator Dudycz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 246, by Senator Dudycz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

And Senate Bill 247, by Senator Dudycz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

For what purpose does Senator Dillard arise?

SENATOR DILLARD:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I rise on a point of personal privilege. Today is the -- one of our colleagues', Senator Dave Barkhausen's, birthday. And he's my

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office mate, and right off of the Senate Chamber on the Republican side of the aisle is Dave's and my office suite or complex. There's birthday cake and coffee back there, and please join one of our colleagues, Dave Barkhausen, and wish him a happy birthday. And again, there's cake and coffee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Thank you. For what purpose does Senator Demuzio arise?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Thank you, Mr. President. I'd like the record to reflect that Senator Smith is in Washington. She will be absent here both today and tomorrow.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

The record will so reflect. Committee Reports.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senator Fawell, Chair of the Committee on Transportation, reports Senate Bill 70 Do Pass and Senate Bill 42 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Cronin, Chair of the Committee on Education, reports Senate Bills 25, 50, 51 and 52 Do Pass; and Senate Bills 17, 19 and 22 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Sieben, Chair of the Committee on State Government Operations, reports Senate Bills 54 and 97 Do Pass.

Senator Hasara, Vice Chair of the Committee on Local Government and Elections, reports Senate Bills 63, 77, 78 and 82 Do Pass; and Senate Bill 75 Do Pass, as Amended.

And Senator Hawkinson, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary, reports Senate Bills 28 and 79 Do Pass; Senate Bill 4 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Joint Resolution 6 Be Adopted.

Senator Weaver, Chair of the Committee on Rules, reports that the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to Committees: to the Committee on Education - Senate Bills 209 and 227; to the Committee on Environment and Energy - Senate Bills

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191, 214, 228, and Senate Joint Resolution 12; to the Committee on Executive - Senate Bills 185 and 195; to the Committee on Higher Education - Senate Bills 207, 210, 241 and 242; to the Committee on Insurance, Pensions and Licensed Activities - Senate Bills 193, 194, 202, 211, 218, 223, 224, 225 and 230; to the Committee on Judiciary - Senate Bills 199, 201, 221, 229, and Senate Joint Resolution 11; to the Committee on Local Government and Elections - Senate Bills 205, 206, 208 and 222; re-referred from the Committee on Local Government and Elections to the Rules Committee - Senate Bill 135; to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare - Senate Bills 188, 189, 190, 196, 197, 198, 200, 203, 216, 217, and Senate Joint Resolution 10; and to the Committee on Revenue - Senate Bills 135, 204, 212, 213, 215, 219 and 220; also, to the Committee on Transportation - Senate Bills 192 and 226.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Introduction of Bills.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 248, offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 249, offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 250, offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 251, offered by Senator Madigan.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 252, offered by Senator Ralph Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 253, offered by Senators Maitland, Weaver and Demuzio.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 254, offered by Senator Maitland.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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Senate Bill 255, offered by Senator Fawell.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 256, offered by Senator Butler.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 257, offered by Senator Butler.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 258, offered by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 259, offered by Senator Madigan.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 260, offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 261, offered by Senator Rauschenberger.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Is there any further business to come before the Senate? For what purpose does Senator Raica arise?

SENATOR RAICA:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. At 1 p.m. this afternoon, the Committee on Public Health and Welfare will meet in A-1 of the Stratton. That's at 1 p.m. this afternoon, Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Any further announcements? If not, the Senate will stand adjourned until noon, Thursday, February the 2nd. The Senate's adjourned.

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